

Dakota Explorers

Welcome to Fort Abraham Lincoln State Park's Dakota Explorers Program! There are three different activity booklets for Dakota Explorer's programs: Roscoe's Rascals (green, ages 6 and under), Roscoe's Bandits (red, ages 7-12), and Roscoe's Rangers (blue, ages 13 and up).

Dakota Explorer booklets may be picked up at the Park Entrance Booth. Participants are encouraged to complete the booklets and return them to a Park Ranger for a prize.

Join the fun! Be a Dakota Explorer!

Ft. Lincoln on the Web

Weekend Campground program information is posted on the net at :

<http://www.ndparks.com/Parks/FLSP.htm>

Call or visit the Ft. A. Lincoln Interpretive Office: (701) 667-6350. We're located in the basement of the Museum/ Visitor's Center.

Concessions

Hungry or thirsty after seeing the sites? Grab and cold drink or a bite to eat! It's open from 10 AM to 6 PM!



The Great Depression affected everyone in all walks of life, but was especially tough on farm families in ND during the 1920s and 1930s.

Commissary Storehouse

Visit the Commissary at the Cavalry Post! The Commissary is a great gift and souvenir shop with books on the frontier army as well as Native Americans and Lewis & Clark.

Custer's Trail Rides

Experience Fort Lincoln as the soldiers did - from the back of a horse! It's a fun way to look at history while enjoying the scenery!

Fort Abraham Lincoln State Park



August 19-21, 2005

**Post Cemetery Walking Tours
Infantry Post Walking Tours
Evening Campground Programs**

**Program Info: (701) 667-6350
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Programs

Post Cemetery Walking Tour

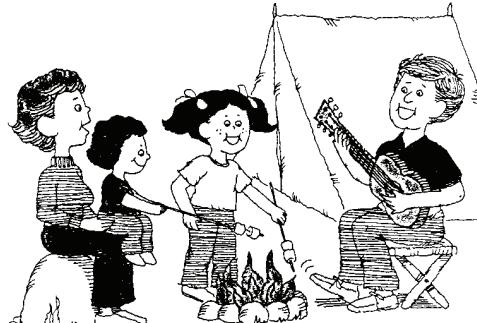
This tour begins at 4 PM at the parking lot at the Infantry Post and consists of a moderate walk over hilly ground. A historical tour for those 8 and up. Tour length is about 50 minutes. Free of charge.

Infantry Post Walking Tour

Tours begin at 2 PM and 7 PM at the Blockhouse closest to the parking lot at the Infantry Post. This tour consists of an easy walk. A historical tour for those 8 and up. Tour length is about 50 minutes. Free of charge.

Campground Programs

These programs occur Friday & Saturday evenings at the Campground Amphitheatre. Whether it's a video, or a talk, each of these programs are for all ages. Free of charge.



Friday, August 19

Infantry Post Walking Tour- 2 & 7 PM
Post Cemetery Walking Tour- 4 PM
Evening Campground Video- 9 PM
"Turkeys in the Wild"

From the Pilgrims of the 1600s to the modern day, turkeys are and were easily recognized. Join us as we take a closer look at this large bird in its' natural habitat (no, not as the centerpiece of your Thanksgiving Day meal)! Learn all about the Toms (males) and Hens (females) and how they live in the wild!



Hens turkeys lay 8-15 eggs in a nest on the ground. Chicks leave the nest and go with "Mom" in search of food shortly after hatching.

Saturday, August 20

Infantry Post Walking Tour- 2 & 7 PM
Post Cemetery Walking Tour- 4 PM

Saturday, August 20 cont'd

Evening Campground Program- 9 PM
"The Great Depression"

What do you think of when the subject of the Great Depression comes to mind? Hardship? Money? Lack of jobs? Find out all this and more as we learn how the Great Depression effected ND in the 1920s to the 1930s!



Sunday, August 21

Infantry Post Walking Tour- 2 PM
Post Cemetery Walking Tour- 4 PM

Fact of the Week

Did you know that the Great Depression began in 1929? It was a worldwide depression and it took a world war to get the US out of it!